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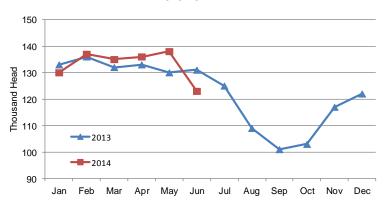
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Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in Minnesota for all feedlots with a capacity greater than 1,000 head totaled 123,000 head on June 1, 2014 according to the USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Minnesota Field Office. This is down 15,000 head from last month and down 8,000 head from last year.

Placements during May totaled 8,000 head, down 50 percent from last month and down 53 percent from last year. Marketings for May were 22,000 head, up 69 percent from last month and up 47 percent from last year. Other disappearance totaled 1,000 head.

Cattle on Feed, Inventory on all Feedlots, Minnesota: 2013-2014



Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance by Month, 1,000+Capacity Feedlots

[Cattle and calves on feed are animals for slaughter market being fed a ration of grain or other concentrates and are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better.]

State	Cattle on Feed June 1			Placements during May			Marketings During May			May Disappearance other than Slaughter ¹		
	2013	2014	'14 as % of '13	2013	2014	'14 as % of '13	2013	2014	'14 as % of '13	2013	2014	'14 as % of '13
	(1,000 Head)	(1,000 Head)	(Percent)	(1,000 Head)	(1,000 Head)	(Percent)	(1,000 Head)	(1,000 Head)	(Percent)	(1,000 Head)	(1,000 Head)	(Percent)
Arizona	272	275	101	25	24	96	27	25	93	1	1	100
California	510	435	85	72	50	69	54	60	111	3	5	167
Colorado	960	930	97	170	140	82	150	145	97	20	25	125
Idaho	205	205	100	41	23	56	45	32	71	1	1	100
lowa	610	640	105	65	54	83	72	70	97	3	4	133
Kansas	2,070	2,020	98	430	435	101	410	400	98	20	25	125
Minnesota	131	123	94	17	8	47	15	22	147	1	1	100
Nebraska	2,340	2,410	103	470	425	90	510	485	95	20	20	100
Oklahoma	310	265	85	78	67	86	61	55	90	2	2	100
South Dakota	215	225	105	39	34	87	45	41	91	4	3	75
Texas	2,630	2,550	97	570	580	102	465	450	97	15	10	67
Washington	214	201	94	40	40	100	45	45	100	1	2	200
Other States	300	315	105	38	32	84	49	35	71	9	2	22
United States	10,767	10,594	98	2,055	1,912	93	1,948	1,865	96	100	101	101

¹ Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pasture, and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.

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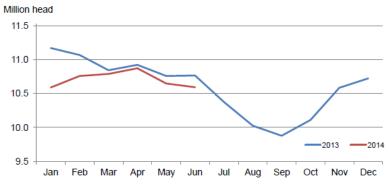
Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.6 million head on June 1, 2014. The inventory was 2 percent below June 1, 2013.

Placements in feedlots during May totaled 1.91 million, 7 percent below 2013. Net placements were 1.81 million head. During May, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 435,000, 600-699 pounds were 290,000, 700-799 pounds were 477,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 710,000.

Marketings of fed cattle during May totaled 1.87 million, 4 percent below 2013. May marketings are the lowest for the month since the series began in 1996.

Other disappearance totaled 101,000 during May, 1 percent above 2013.





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